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**RESPONSE**

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**TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS:**

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action dated February 23, 2006, please consider the  
following:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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Conclusion begins on page 9 of this paper.